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## Claim Amendments

In accordance with revised 37 C.F.R. 1.121, a listing of all claims that are, or were, in the application is provided below. This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application.

- 32. (Currently amended): An <u>isolated latent hLTBP-3</u> polypeptide comprising at least 18 contiguous amino acids of a polypeptide selected from the group consisting of:
  - a) SEQ ID NO: 2;
  - b) SEQ ID NO: 4; and
  - c) SEQ ID NO: 6; and
  - -d) a pharmacoutically acceptable salt of a), b), or c),
- 33. (Previously added): A nucleic acid encoding the hLTBP-3 polypeptide of claim 32.
  - 34. (Previously added): A vector comprising the nucleic acid of claim 33.
  - Previously added): A host cell comprising the vector of claim 34.
- 36. (Previously added): A method of producing a hLTBP-3 polypeptide according to claim 32 wherein said method comprises culturing at least one recombinant host cell comprising a vector comprising a nucleic acid encoding said hLTBP-3 polypeptide under conditions suitable for expression of said hLTBP-3 polypeptide.
  - 37. (Cancelled)
- (Previously added): A composition comprising at least one carrier, excipient, or diluent and an hLTBP-3 polypeptide according to claim 32.
  - 39. (Cancelled)

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- 40. (Cancelled)
- 41. (Cancelled)
- 42. (Cancelled)
- 43. (Cancelled)
- 44. (Cancelled)
- 45. (Cancelled)
- 46. (Cancelled)
- 47. (Cancelled)